

For Group (I), subspecies 1B, Figure 14, upon which Claims 1 to 31 are readable;

For Group (II), subspecies 2A, Figure 30, upon which Claims 42 to 72 and 83/(42-72) are readable.

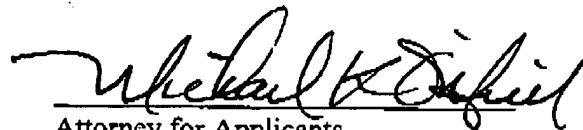
No change has been made in the identification of elected species, and no change at all has been made for Group (I).

The election continues to be made with traverse, for the reasons set out in the Response dated January 10, 2005.

A new Office Action is again respectfully requested, in which the current requirement to elect has been withdrawn.

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